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For: ELECTROMECHANICAL SAFETY )  
SYSTEM FOR A FIREARM )

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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of April 9, 2003. A fee of \$475.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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